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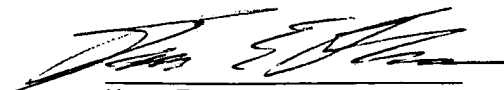
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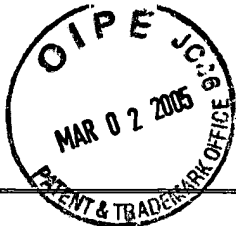
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 3, 2004**

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In response to the Office Action dated September 3, 2004, please consider the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendment to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.